***THE ABSOLUTELY TRUE DIARY OF A PART-TIME INDIAN* LITERARY ESSAY PEER EDIT CHECKLIST**

Use the following checklist in class while editing the literary essay of one of your peers. Please provide thoughtful, constructive feedback that your classmate can use while preparing their good copy of this essay. Remember, you are being evaluated on the feedback you provide and your partner will be evaluated on how they use your feedback in the good copy of their essay.

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* **Thesis is present and clear**
* **Thesis is supported by 3 points**
* **Each point is well developed with valid arguments**
* **Each argument is supported with evidence from the text**
* **Each piece of evidence is related clearly back to the thesis**
* **Conclusion re-states thesis and points in different words**
* **Conclusion contains an appropriate broad statement at the end**
* **Essay is of the correct length (3-5 pages)**
* **Essay is in the correct format (double space, 12-pt TNR font, page numbers)**
* **All citations are made in correct MLA format**
* **Spelling and grammar are accurate**

**Things the author did well:**

* **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
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**Things the author should improve:**

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